

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
TAKAYUKI SUGA ET AL.)
Application No.: 10/674,498)
Filed: October 1, 2003)
For: IMAGE READING APPARATUS)
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: Examiner: Akwasi Sarpong
: Group Art Unit: 2625
: Confirmation No.: 4225
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: September 15, 2009

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 20, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: